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AMENDMENT TO MR. TAUZIN'S AMENDMENT OFFERED BY MR. BROWN OF OHIO

(Page & line nos. refer to Chairman's Mark of June 17, 2003)

At the end of subtitle B of title II, insert the following new section (and conform the table of contents accordingly):

SEC. 236. CONSUMER PROTECTIONS FOR ENROLLEES IN MEDICARE ADVANTAGE PLANS.

- (A) IN GENERAL.—Section 1857(d) (42 U.S.C. 1395w-27(d)) is amended by adding at the end the following new paragraph:
- "(6) REFUND OF VALUE OF SUPPLEMENTAL BENE-6 7 FITS IN CERTAIN WITHDRAWALS.—Each contract with an 8 organization under this section shall require the organization, in the case of a termination of the contract at the request of the organization within 2 years after the date on 10 11 which an enrollee enrolls under the plan offered by the or-12 ganization, to pay to that enrollee under the plan the fair 13 market value of the supplemental benefits that would other-14 wise have been made available under the plan but for such 15 termination to the enrollee during the 2-year period that begins on the date of such termination. 16